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Docket No. 25864.00600
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In re application of:

SHANBROM, Edward

Serial No: 09/315,688

Filed: May 20, 1999

For: METHOD FOR QUANTIFYING
ANTIOXIDANT LEVELS IN FOOD
AND MEDICAL SPECIMENS

Art Unit: 1744

Examiner: K. Olsen

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AMENDMENT

Commissioner for Patents
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Dear Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated December 20, 2000, the time for response having
been extended from 20 March 2001 to 20 June 2001 by the enclosed petition, please amend the
above-identified application as follows:

IN THE CLAIMS:

Please cancel Claim 5 without prejudice.

Kindly replace the text of Claims 1 and 4 with the following text as is required by revised
Rule 121 (red-lined claim copy required by the revised rule is located at the end of this paper as is shown
in the example on the PTO web page):

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